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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

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Commissioner for Patents

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed on March 4, 2008, in connection with the above-identified patent application (Paper No./Mail Date 20080207), please enter the following amendments and consider the following arguments. This response is timely filed, with a request for a one month extension of time with necessary fees.

Also filed herewith is an Information Disclosure Statement providing copies of additional articles and abstracts in support of Applicants' arguments. Applicants respectfully request that the information listed in the Information Disclosure Statement be considered by the Examiner and be made of record in the above-identified application.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 2 of this paper.

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